

NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ENCODING RED AND GREEN
EMITTING LUCIFERASES

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Isolated nucleic acid molecules which code for luciferases able to produce the
5 green bioluminescence of *Phrixotrhix vivianii* and red bioluminescence of *Phrixothrix*
hirtus are described. The nucleic acid molecules and the luciferases encoded thereby
can be used in applications such as diagnostic methods and molecular biology tools.

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